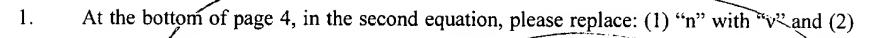
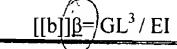
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"p" with " π " and (3) "x" with " ξ " as shown:

$$([n]]_{\underline{V_n}} = (A^{1/2} V) / (2[[p]]\underline{\pi}L^2) [[x]]\underline{\xi_n}^2$$

2. At the top of page 5, in the first equation, please replace b with β as shown:



3. At page 14, in the paragraph below Equation 13, please replace the text as follows:

From this equation, the frequencies of the normal modes are calculated from the expression $[[n]]_{\underline{V}} = (A^{1/2} V)/(2[[p]]\underline{\pi}L^2)$ $[[x]]_{\underline{\xi}_n}^2$. The curve $\beta(\xi)$ is shown in Figure 4. There, the first three branches, corresponding to the lower three eigenfrequencies of the system, are drawn. For a given force-seperation slope, β , corresponding to a horizontal line in the graph, there are three corresponding intersections and thus three frequencies.

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